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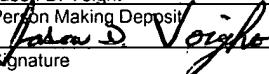
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Applicants submit this paper in response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of July 8, 2003 and the Restriction/Election Requirement of May 12, 2003.

Please enter the following amendment which is identical to the amendment of June 19, 2003 except that status identifiers have been added to claims 21-25 and 30-31.